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REFERENCE: JULY QUARTERLY REPORT (04/01/2015—06/30/2015)

Dear Mr. Furman,

This statement is in response to the Commission's letter dated September 10, 2015. The Commission requested additional information regarding five items.

First, the Commission requested clarification regarding contributions from individuals, partnerships, or political committees that appear to exceed contribution limits. Upon review by the Committee, most of these individuals, partnerships, and political committees are within their federal limits. Please note that the RFAI lists a \$2,900 contribution from James Bere on 6/30/15. This \$2,900 amount actually represents a memo entry (See page 195; TRANS ID SA11.88786) that was mistakenly included on the report. The memo entry will be removed on the Amended report. Cash on hand is not affected and the donor is within his federal limit. The contribution of \$4,000 from Elizabeth Garmer was reported incorrectly. The \$4,000 contribution of 12/31/14 should have been reported as being reattributed to Diane Jenkins from her spouse. This will be corrected on the Amended report. \$900 was mistakenly reported twice as a reattribution to Katherine Hauske. A duplicate entry will be removed on an Amended report. Due to a software glitch, some of the records of Joellen Stollenwerk and her spouse were accidentally combined. These memo entries will be corrected on the Amended Report. The 6/30/15 contribution of \$3,000 from the Responsibility and Freedom Work PAC (C00368696) was mistakenly reported as being designated to General 2016 instead of Primary 2016. The correct designation (Primary 2016) will appear on the Amended Report. The rest of the contributions that appear to exceed limits have been refunded, reattributed, or redesignated within the permissible timeframes. These will be reflected on the Committee's October Quarterly Report.

Second, the Commission requested clarification for contributions on Schedule A of our report from individuals who have mailing addresses outside of the United States. Our Committee has safeguards in place to ensure that contributions are made only by eligible donors. Our Committee has confirmed that all the donors listed in the RFAI are eligible donors and are not foreign nationals.

Third, regarding the contribution from a nonfederal committee, the Committee has confirmed that the nonfederal committee used permissible funds.

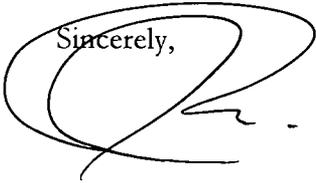
Fourth, regarding the transfer from a joint fundraising committee, the Committee has amended its Form 1 Statement of Organization and Form 2 (Statement of Candidacy) to reflect the joint fundraising representative.

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Fifth, the Committee will clarify the disbursement(s) for "General Consulting" in an Amended report.

This should answer the Commission's inquiry. Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

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James J. Malczewski
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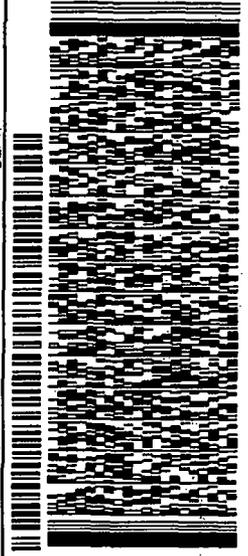
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